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TO

PATENT

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Saburo SONE et al.)
Serial No.: 09/864,364) Group Art Unit: 1632
Filed: May 25, 2001) Examiner: Li, Qian J.
For: NON-HUMAN ANIMAL)
EXHIBITING BONE METASTASIS)
OF TUMOR CELLS)

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PETITION FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a two month extension of time to reply to the Office Action mailed October 23, 2002. A fee of \$410.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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